Please type a plus sign (+) inside this box 

Approved for use through 09/30/2000. OMB 0651-0032

Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

UTILITY
PATENT APPLICATION
TRANSMITTAL

Attorney Docket No. 28-001 First Inventor or Application Identifier TAKIZAWA et al. INPUT/OUTPUT SYSTEM Title

Express Mail Label No.

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 C.P.R.§ 1.33(b))	SS Wall Label NO.
APPLICATION ELEMENTS See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.	Commissioner for Patents  ADDRESS TO: Mail Stop Patent Application Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
1. X * Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) (Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing) 2. X Specification [Total Pages 32]  -Descriptive title of the Invention  -Cross Reference to Related Applications  -Background of the Invention	5. Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)  6. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)  a. Computer Readable Copy  b. Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)  C. Statement verifying identity of above copies
-Summary of the Invention	ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS
-Brief Description of the Drawings -Detailed Description of the Preferred Embodiment -Claims -Abstract of the Disclosure  3. X Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 11]	7. X Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))  8. 37 C.F.R.§ 3.73(b) Power of Attorney  9. English Translation Document (if applicable)  10. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations
4. Oath or Declaration [Total Sheets 8 ]	11. Preliminary Amendment
a. X Newly executed (original or copy)  b. Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R§ 1.63 (d)) (for continuation/divisional with Box 16 completed  i. DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).  *NOTE FOR ITEMS 1 & 13: IN ORDER TO BE ENTITLED TO PAY SMALL ENTITY FEES, A SMALL ENTITY STATEMENT IS REQUIRED (37 C.F.R. § 1.27), EXCEPT IF ONE FILED IN A PRIOR APPLICATION IS RELIED UPON (37 C.F.R. § 1.28)	12. X Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (should be specifically itemized)  *Small Entity 13. Statement filed in prior application, (PTO/SB/09-12) Status still proper and desired  14. X Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)  15. Other:
under Box 4b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying co	of prior application No:  Group/Art Unit:  of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied ntinuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference.
The Incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been ina	
Customer Number or Bar Code Label  (Insert Customer No. 0. 4)	or Correspondence address below
Name PATENT TRADE	MARK OFFICE
Address	
Address	
City State	Zip Code
Country Telephone	(703) 707-9110 Fax (703) 707-9112
Name (Print/type) KERRY S. CULPEPPER	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) 45,672

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 0.2 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, Patent and Trademark Office, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, Mail Stop Patent Application, Arlington, VA 22202.

PTO/SB/17 (10-01)

Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0032

Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2003		Complete if Known					
		Application Number					
		Filing Date	June 25, 2003				
Patent fees are subject to annual revision.		First Named Inventor	TAKIZAWA et al.				
		Examiner Name					
Applicant daims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Group/Art Unit					
TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT	(\$) 790	Attorney Docket No.	28-001				

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check one)	FEE CALCULATION (continued)							
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge	3. ADDITIONAL FEES							
indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:	Large E	ntity :	Small E		Fee Description	Fee Paid		
Deposit	Fee Code	Fee	Fee	Fee				
Account Number 50-1147	Code 1051	( <b>\$</b> ) 130	Code 2051	( <b>\$</b> ) 65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath			
	1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or			
Deposit Account POSZ & BETHARDS, PLC	1053	130	1053	130	cover sheet. Non-English specification			
Name POSZ & BETHARDS, PLC								
Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17	1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination			
2. X Payment Enclosed:	1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action			
Check Money Other	1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action			
FEE CALCULATION	1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month			
1. BASIC FILING FEE	1252	410	2252	205	Extension for reply within second month			
Large Entity Small Entity	1253	930	2253	460	Extension for reply within third month			
Fee Fee Fee Fee Description	1254	1450	2254	725	Extension for reply within fourth month			
Code (\$) Code (\$) Fee Pald  1001 750 2001 375 Utility filing fee 750	1255	1970	2255	985	Extension for reply within fifth month			
1002 330 2002 165 Design filing fee	1401	320	2401	160	Notice of Appeal			
1003 520 2003 260 Plant filing fee	1402	320	2402	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
1004 750 2004 375 Reissue filing fee	1403	280	2403	140	Request for oral hearing			
1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee	1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding			
	1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive – unavoidable			
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 750	1453	1,300	2453	650	Petition to revive – unintentional			
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES	1501	1300	2501	650	Utility issue fee (or reissue)			
Fee from Extra Claims Below Fee Pald	1502	470	2502	235	Design issue fee			
Total Claims 20 -20**= 0 × 18 = 0	1503	630	2503	315	Plant issue fee			
Independent Claims 3 - 3**= 0 × 84 = 0	1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner			
Multiple Dependent	1807	50	1807	50	Petitions related to provisional applications			
**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see below Large Entity Small Entity	1806	180	1806	180	Submission of information Disclosure Stmt			
Large Entity Small Entity Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Description Code (\$) Code (\$)	8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	40		
1202 18 2202 9 Claims in excess of 20	1809	750	2809	375	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))			
1201 84 2201 42 Independent claims in excess of 3	1810	750	2810	375	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))			
1203 280 2203 140 Multiple dependent daim, if not paid	d				30 2203 140 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid			
1204 84 2204 42 **Reissue independent claims over original patent	Other fe	e (speci	fy)					
1205 18 2205 9 **Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	Other fe	e (speci	fy)					
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) 0	*Reduce	ed by Ba	sic Filin	g Fee P	aid SUBTOTAL (3) (\$) 40			

SUBMITTED BY		Complete (if applicable)			
Name (Print/Type)	KERRY S. CULPEPPER	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	45,672	Telephone	(703) 707-9110
Signature	Kerne Culpepper			Date	June 25, 2003

WARNING Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 0.2 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Arlington, VA 22202. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant commissioner for Patents, Alexandria 222313-1450.